



Uniform Shop Hours

Wednesdays

1:15–2:00pm

3:00– 4:00pm

Dates to Remember

30 September End of Term 3

1-2 October

Duke of Edinburgh
Gold Trip to Wellington

1-2 October

Football Boys' Tournament at
Marewa Park

5-7 October

Duke of Edinburgh Silver
Practice Adventurous
Journey

15-16 October

Canoe Polo Nationals
Division 2

17 October

Term 4 starts

21 October

HB Anniversary Day
School Closed

24 October

Labour Day
School Closed

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FAREWELL MR WOOSTER

Last term we shared with our community the announcement Mr Wayne Wooster would be finishing his long tenure at Karamu High School following a medical event earlier this year.

On Tuesday 27 September we warmly welcomed a large contingent of previous and current whānau and community members to join the school in celebrating Mr Wayne Wooster's long service to Karamu High School in the June Clark Centre. It was a stunning student-centered event, including drama, Pasifika, music and Kapa Haka. Many took the opportunity to celebrate, acknowledge and tautoko this wonderful man for all he has given our students, whānau and the school. Others joined via the live stream (huge thanks to @engagevideo) which will continue to be available on our Facebook page should you have missed the event.



PROUDLY
KARAMU

PROUDLY
HASTINGS

PROUDLY
LEARNING

PRINCIPAL

Tēnā koutou kātoa,

Our recent 60th celebration was an exceptionally special occasion as Karamu High School was a very special place for everyone that attended the event, a place in which they forged friendships, developed a passion for learning or created an enthusiasm for sport, culture or the arts. What is wonderful is it still is such a place. Every day that I come to work I have the opportunity to see young people alive with hope, passion and drive. Teenagers in a co-educational setting, mingling and engaging in conversations very reflective of society.

I think that is what makes us a popular choice for so many people. We will start 2023 with a Year 9 of a size we have not had for over 20 years. Close to 250 students will start in Year 9 and they will be striving to seek what it means to be a Karamu student. Being a Karamu student is still something people are exceptionally proud to be. As our vision states we are Proudly Karamu, Proudly Hastings, Proudly Learning.

One event that is truly Karamu is our Blossom Day - an opportunity for us to acknowledge and celebrate being both Proudly Karamu and Proudly Hastings.

The Blossom Parade has long been a celebration in Hastings (dating back to the 1950s) to acknowledge the start of Spring and was introduced as a special day on the Karamu High School calendar in respect of the unique and special place Karamu High School has within Hastings.

Blossom Day allows us to celebrate, embrace and accept diversity. Students demonstrate amazing respect and school pride in their dress, actions and interactions. And we invite others in our community to join us to continue to build strong links between the community and the school.

An array of colour, wonderful music and clever designs - everything from flowers to minibikes are often included in our parade. It is also fantastic to see friendship groups enjoying a shared picnic kai. Last year we combined Blossom Day with Karamu's Got Talent and once again this was a great combo. Music, theatre and dance was showcased in the June Clark Centre, (due to the weather) – a great way to finish a busy Term 3.

I wish you all a restful and safe holiday period. Term 4 will go quickly and for seniors preparing for examinations or preparing to transition out of school – all the time and preparation we put in now will reap great rewards.

Kohikohi ngā kākano, whakaritea te pārekereke, kia puāwai ngā hua.

Gather the seeds, prepare the seedbed carefully, and you will be gifted
with abundance of food

Ngā mihi
Mrs Dionne Thomas
Tumuaki/Principal



POLICY REVIEW

As indicated in Term 1, in 2022, all schools will review the **Health, Safety, and Welfare Policy** section throughout the year.

In Term 3, the focus is on the **Student Wellbeing and Safety** and **Staff Wellbeing and Safety** sections. See the full **Review and Board Assurances Schedule**.

- Reviews are open to board, staff, and the school community (parents/caregivers/whānau).
- **Key review** topics contain important information and/or school-specific content.
- **Optional review** topics contain helpful supporting information but little or no school-specific content.
- Anyone can review any policy/procedure that has a red, review flag.

To start reviewing:

1. Visit the website <https://karamu.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>
2. Enter the username (karamu) and password (knowledge).
3. Click on the **Review Topic** to take you to the policy.
4. Read the policy.
5. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
6. Select the reviewer type (Parent/Caregiver).
7. Enter your name (optional).
8. Submit your ratings and comments.



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www.karamu.school.nz

TIRA ORA

CELEBRATING STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

Sports

In 2022 we have once again been very lucky to have continued to be supported with sporting sponsorship by Apollo Projects who were responsible for the two new large scale sporting building projects in Hawke's Bay ie: the new 50m Pool at the Regional Sports Park and the PGA extension.

We received contributions towards:

- Participation in Canoe Polo National Tournament for the Senior Girls and Junior Boys teams;
- Travel and Accommodation for the First XI Girls Football who travelled to Palmerston North for the Grant Jarvis Satellite New Zealand Secondary School Tournament; and
- Tournament fees, travel and food for the Premier Netball team who competed at the Lower North Island Netball Tournament.

We are hugely grateful to Apollo and the students and their whānau appreciated the support.

Apollo
PROJECTS

Reports on the two teams performances in tournament week:

First XI Girls Football Tournament

Day 1

A huge win against Inglewood High School 10-0 in their morning game, then against Campion College from Gisborne they went down 0-6.

Day 2

Played Tararua College and won 3-0. Goals to Maddy Hughes and Cora Davison (plus they scored an own goal). MVP Isabelle Dillon. In the afternoon game versus Samuel Marsden College the girls played a strong game with a 1-1 result, Cora scored again with Jordyn Nicholson MVP.

Day 3

Some tired legs today saw them play their final pool game against Havelock North High School. Final score 1-1, meaning in Thursday games they will be playing off in the 9-16 pool.



CELEBRATING STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

Day 4

A long day for the girls! The morning game versus Wairarapa College went to penalties, which they won, then the afternoon game against Sacred Heart Napier they also won 1-0.

Day 5

An end to end game final game dominated by us especially in the second half, seeing Maddy Hughes hit the crossbar from a cracking free kick, but the final score was 0-0 so off to penalties again. After the first 5 it was still all level so off to sudden death. Up stepped Ella Mentzer to slot the winner. An impressive 9th placing, with only one loss all week. A fitting farewell to the four Year 13s – Maddy, Cora, Jordyn and Emma. Maddy Hughes was the teams overall MVP for the week.

Premier Netball Tournament

Day 1

Girls off to a great start against Kuranui College, Masterton with a 38 – 23 win. Great all round team performance to start the tournament off.

Day 2

A loss against St. Matthews Collegiate 40 – 24 in torrential rain, but came back firing in the second game against Upper Hutt College winning 31-28. Impressive shooting by Raiha O'Shaughnessy.

Day 3

A strongly fought loss against Napier Girls High Senior B 46-31 to see them nudged out of the top 8 but came back strong in the afternoon to beat Dannevirke High School 36-31. Great defensive play by Kryzlah Brown.

Day 4

A huge win versus Taradale High School 46-19, followed by another win over Central Hawke's Bay College winning 38-29.

Day 5

A close win versus Waitara High School (from New Plymouth) 38-37 and then versus Dannevirke High again winning 36-33 to have a final placing of 9th out of 20 teams. A fitting farewell to the Year 13s of Kyra, Briah and Holand, but exciting times for rest of the young team.



NETBALL



Congratulations to Hannah Hibbert on being selected for the Northern Zone Composite Secondary Schools Team which will be competing in a one-day tournament at Massey University, Palmerston North, on Sunday 2 October.

The tournament is for the five schools from the Lower North Island Secondary Schools Netball Tournament who qualified for the NNZ Secondary Schools Champs, and three composite teams made up of players from other secondary schools in our zone.

The purpose of the tournament is two-fold:

1. It will provide the five qualifying schools with valuable match play prior to the national tournament.
2. Netball Central will use the tournament to select players (Year 12 and under in 2022) for its advanced camp which will be held at the end of October. The purpose of the advanced camp is to prepare the players for the Netball NZ National Development Camp in January 2023, should they be selected for this. The NZ Secondary Schools Netball Team for 2023 is selected following the national development camps.

BOARD CHAIR INVESTITURE



On Friday 16 September our Board Chair Dave de Lange received his MNZM for services to the New Zealand Police and the community from Dame Susan Glazebrook. It was an exceptionally special occasion, where Dave was surrounded by his family and also in attendance was the Police Commissioner, Andy Coster.

Dave received his MNZM for serving the Hawke's Bay and Eastern District communities for 35 years, 25 of those with the Police Criminal Investigation Branch. He has spent several years overseeing the Hawke's Bay Crime Squad, leading several serious crime investigations. He was leader of the Eastern District Child Protection Team, covering all Tairāwhiti and Hawke's Bay crime against children and developing police partnerships with other organisations.

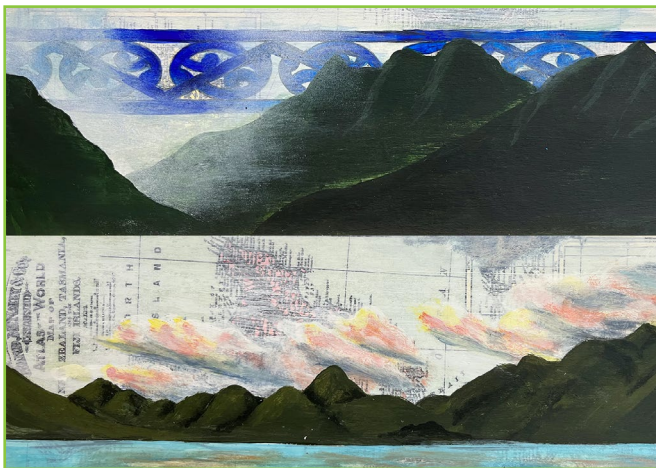
He has chaired the Boards of Trustees of Mayfair Primary School and Karamu High School. Most recently, Detective Inspector de Lange has led the Eastern District Organised Crime Team, successfully leading numerous covert and overt operations.

KARAMU CARDS

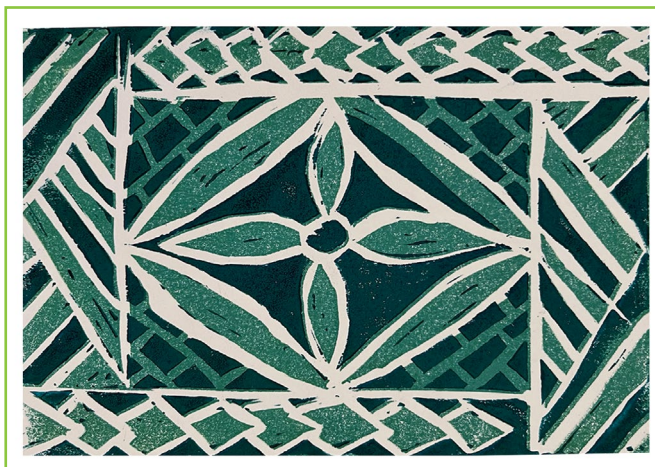
This year I wanted to showcase our student art work by producing a selection of multi-use cards (thank you, sympathy etc) to have on hand. I liaised with Ms Dawson to select a range of student artwork and narrowed it down to five pieces. The following were selected to be used over the next 12 to 18 months as gifts or to thank those that give of their time, treasure or talent.



Anneliese Melchers



Molly Schroeder



Daejan Tutaki



Elise Lindsay



Jorja Hames

STUDENT COUNCIL

Leadership is the L in our welcome values and Leadership in the school takes many different forms. We can lead by example, we can lead by fulfilling our potential or lead by accelerating our performance. I congratulate the students that put their names forward for any position in the school to lead others. Whether it is as a captain, a librarian, or for the Student Council. It takes courage to put yourself forward to say you want to represent your peers. At the beginning of the year the Year 13 Leaders laid the wero:

“Don’t limit your challenges, challenge your limits”

And you have challenged yourself by putting yourself out in front of your peers – well done – this takes courage and risk.

“When you take risks, you learn that there will be times when you succeed, and there will be times when you fail, and both are equally important.” - Ellen DeGeneres.

We would like to congratulate the successful Student Council candidates for 2022/2023:

- Year 9: Joseph Bassett and Tamblyn Hutchings
- Year 10: Taylor Bevan and Krishna Bisht
- Year 11: Louise Brookes and Chris Liu
- Year 12: Calais Byrne and Blaise Coulbeck



These students will work together with the Board of Trustees Student Representative and the 2023 head students on student lead initiatives within the school.

A huge congratulations to Esta Chaplin on being voted in as the 2022/2023 Board of Trustees Student Representative.



KARAMU HIGH SCHOOL

“Don't **limit** your **challenges**,
challenge your **limits**”

Jerry Dunn

60TH CELEBRATIONS

On Friday 16 September hundreds of old photos and treasured memories filled the school as over 100 of our foundation students gathered to celebrate 60 years of our school. Two days of events were arranged for students who attended in the 1960s. While most remain in Hawke's Bay, others made the trip from around New Zealand and overseas specially to attend. It was an absolute delight to host the students from the 1960s to share this important milestone. June Clark – long-serving teacher and former Deputy Principal, who retired in 2017 – helped organise the events, with the last milestone event being ten years ago for the 50th anniversary of the school.

The Friday morning event provided an opportunity for people to look at memorabilia, have official year level photos taken, and reconnect with former peers. Tours of the school showcased its development over the years and connected past pupils with those currently attending. When Karamu High School opened in 1962 for third formers, it had a school roll of 169 – 106 girls, 63 boys and nine staff. There was merely the Technology Block for teaching with six classrooms and the corner of Windsor Park for recreation. By Term Two 12 more classrooms and 11 acres of grassed areas were added. By Term Three the Assembly Hall, Administration Offices and hard surfaces had been sealed.

Now, 60 years on, the school roll is consistently above 900 and the whole school has virtually been re-built. Last year, Tira Ora (the Karamu Alumni Association) was formed to keep the strong bonds between the school and its community going.

Since then, it has grown a strong list of former students and staff with the aim of Tira Ora coming back and re-connecting with us by donating their time, sharing their talents or gifting their treasure.



KARAMU'S GOT TALENT

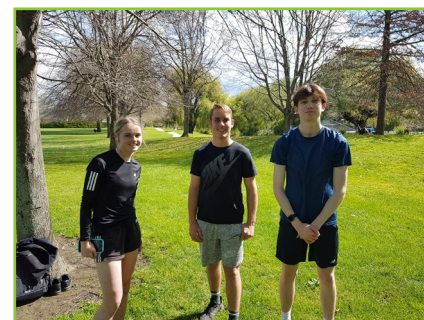
The last day of term saw us sharing and experiencing a wonderful afternoon of talent in singing, dancing and music. All performers are to be congratulated on sharing their gifts with the school which takes immense courage to do in front of their peers. The school thoroughly enjoyed the range and variety, including the opportunity to get involved in a number of acts. Please enjoy the range of photos.



CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

While the weather didn't play its part for the non-championship 'Hapi Hikoī' the Championship Cross Country was still able to be ran on Wednesday 21 September. The Junior Girls race was hotly contested by the Bewley twins, narrowly taken out by Charlotte. Results were as follows:

Place	Championship Girls	Championship Boys
1st Junior	Charlotte Bewley	Henry Cox
2nd Junior	Lucy Bewley	Zane Tardieu
3rd Junior	Charlotte Lumb	Jayden Kane
Senior	Maddy Hughes	Rory McKay



TIRA ORA

In this issue of Karamu Korero we showcase Karamu's fourteenth year, the Year 1975

1975

Principal:

First Assistant:

Senior Mistress:

Senior Master:

Hastings High School Board of Governors:

School:

Staff:

Dux:

Proxime Accessit:

General Excellence

Mr R McGarvey

Mr A B Fordyce

Miss S Henderson

Mr I H MacDonald

Mr M R Shakespeare

1300

70

Bronwyn Roberts

Susan Franklin

James Lowe



School, Buildings & Grounds:

- 5 period day trialled to replace 7 period day.
- Havelock North High School opens, but roll still strong at 1300.
- Tuck Shop built at end of B Block with PTA fund-raising.
- AV Room, Senior Science Labs, & Mezzanine floor in the Library promised for 1976 but rumours about lack of money may make them a pipe dream.

Cultural:

- Junior Drama evening in Term One.
- School Production Pygmalion in Term 3.
- Māori Culture group take a trip to Auckland through fund Raising from Hangi.
- Photography and Bridge Clubs started.
- 5th Form spend a week at Guthrie Smith Outdoor Education Centre at Tutira (under control of Education Board).

Students:

- First Adult Students enrol – Under the Department of Education "Second Chance" scheme.

Sport:

- Cross Country course is run over Asparagus Ltd behind the school.
- Boys' Cricket play in 2B grade of the Inter-city competition. First in school history. Garry Coutts scores first century for the school.
- Swimming Sports – have both Championship and Form competitions together.
- Rowing - Karamu teams compete strongly in East Coast, North Island and New Zealand Championships – Teams: Mens: Senior 4, Colts 4, Junior 8, Junior 4, and Ladies 4.

Staff

- Mr B Hay moves to St John's College as Deputy Principal after 13 years at Karamu (1962-1975).

HASTINGS

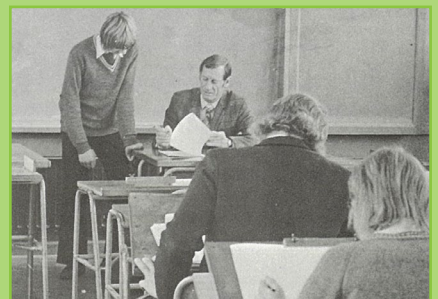
- The Ron Giorgi Park in Flaxmere was established.
- Hawke's Bay Community College opens in Taradale, CEO Dr J Harre.
- Concert Hall and City Art Gallery completed.
- Watties Canneries employs in excess of 8,000 people.

NEW ZEALAND

- NZ Population: 3,073,000.
- General Election sees National elected into NZ Government.
- Prime Minister: Robert Muldoon.
- Whina Cooper leads march to Parliament to protest loss of Māori Land.
- Waitangi Tribunal established.

WORLD EVENTS

- USA President: Gerald Ford.
- UK Prime Minister: Harold Wilson.
- End of Vietnam War.
- Cambodian Civil War ends.



IF YOU HAVE CONCERNS

If you are a student and you have a concern

If your concern is about	You should first see	If not resolved, then	And is still not resolved
Your learning , eg. classwork and assessment	Your teacher	Your dean	Ms Gunn, Deputy Principal Curriculum
A discipline problem , eg. a detention	The teacher who gave you the detention	Your dean	Mr Blake Acting Deputy Principal Student Management
A pastoral issue , eg. bullying, attendance	Your form teacher	Your dean	Mrs Crawford or Mr Rolls the Guidance Counsellor

If you are a parent and you have a concern

If your concern is about	You should first see	If not resolved, then	And is still not resolved
A learning problem , eg. classwork and assessment	The dean	Ms Gunn, Deputy Principal Curriculum & Assessment	Mrs Thomas Principal
A discipline problem , eg. a detention	The dean	Mr Blake Acting Deputy Principal Student Management	
A pastoral issue , eg. bullying, attendance	The dean	Mrs Crawford or Mr Rolls the Guidance Counsellor	
A financial issue relating to any account or charge	Either Mrs Gray or Ms Radley in the office	Mrs Hantler Principal's PA	

YEAR LEVEL DEANS 2022

At Karamu High School, our year level deans play an important role in the pastoral care of your child. Our year level deans for 2022 are listed below for your information. Please email your child's dean or phone 878 7139 and leave a message, if you wish to contact them.

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